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BUFFALO RAPIDS PROJECT

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Long Range Planning Committee 2007 Legislative Session Helena, Montana 59602

Dear Committee Members:

Buffalo Rapids Project Districts I and II (BRP) are very pleased to hear that funding may be available for the projects which we submitted. BRP is trying to finish a ten year project and these funds would allow us to convert an open lateral 34.5 to pipe in District I and a troublesome flat lateral 3.2 in District II to pipe.

BRP does not have the funds to undertake these projects on alone. Both Districts I and II have the means and desire to implement both projects as respectively submitted, to be installed in the fall of 2007 and spring of 2008.

Your consideration of these projects for funding would be greatly appreciated. If you should have any questions or concerns regarding either project, please contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

David A Schwarz, GM Buffalo Rapids Project Joint Board of Control